

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows. Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice or disclaimer.

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1. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a licensor from a said licensor to a licensee wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents owned by licensor and wherein rights in the goods are transferred by means of a license having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein the terms of the license reserves reserve some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the licensor and wherein the licensee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the license.
 2. (canceled) The method of claim 1 wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents.
 3. (amended) The method of claim 2 1 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is assigned by the licensee to a first assignee.
 4. (amended) The method of claim 3 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is further assigned by the first assignee to a second assignee.
 5. (amended) The method of claim 4 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is further assigned by the first assignee to a second assignee.
 6. (original) The method of claim 5 wherein the goods are claimed in one patent.

7. (amended) The method of claim 6 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is assigned by the licensee to a first assignee.
8. (amended) The method of claim 7 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is further assigned by the first assignee to a second assignee.
9. (amended) The method of claim 2 1 wherein the goods are claimed in ~~more than~~ one patent.
10. (amended) The method of claim 9 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is assigned by the licensee to a first assignee.
11. (amended) The method of claim 10 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is further assigned by the first assignee to a second assignee.
12. (amended) The method of claim 2 1 wherein the term of the instrument expires prior to or concurrently with the term of the patents.
13. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a transferor from a said transferor to a transferee wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents owned by transferor and wherein rights in the goods are transferred one or more times by means of an instrument selected from the group consisting of contracts, leases or licenses, said instrument having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein the terms of the instrument and all subsequent instruments transferring said goods reserve some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the transferor and wherein the transferee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the instrument.

14. (amended) The method of claim 13 wherein the goods are the subject of one or more claims of one ~~or more~~ patents.
15. (original) The method of claim 14 wherein the instrument is a license.
16. (amended) The method of claim 15 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is assigned.
17. (original) The method of claim 14 wherein the instrument is a contract.
18. (amended) The method of claim 17 wherein the contract ~~may be~~ is assigned.
19. (original) The method of claim 14 wherein the instrument is a lease.
20. (amended) The method of claim 19 wherein the lease ~~may be~~ is assigned.
21. (amended) The method of claim 16 wherein the license ~~may be~~ is further assigned.
22. (amended) The method of claim 18 wherein the contract ~~may be~~ is further assigned.
23. (amended) The method of claim 20 wherein the lease ~~may be~~ is further assigned.
24. (original) The method of claim 14 wherein the term of the instrument expires prior to or concurrently with the term of the patents.
25. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a transferor from a said transferor to a transferee wherein the goods are

claimed in one or more patents owned by transferor and wherein rights in the goods are transferred one or more times by means of an instrument selected from the group consisting of contracts, leases or licenses said instrument having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein the terms of the instrument and all intervening instruments reserve some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the transferor and wherein the transferee or sub-transferee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the instrument wherein the last transfer is a transfer of goods at retail.

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26. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a licensor from a said licensor to a licensee wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents owned by licensor and wherein by the terms of the license rights in the goods are transferred by means of a license having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein the terms of the license reserves some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the licensor and wherein the licensee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the license wherein said license further comprises a unilateral contract formation provision wherein in consideration of using the goods to develop new intellectual property said use shall be an acceptance by performance by lessee of a contract for joint development of said new intellectual property wherein an undivided interest in said new intellectual property is assigned to lessor.

27. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a transferor from a said transferor to a transferee wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents owned by transferor and wherein rights in the goods are transferred one or more times by means of an instrument selected from

the group consisting of contracts, leases or licenses, said instrument having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein by the terms of the instrument and all subsequent instruments transferring said goods reserve some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the transferor and wherein the transferee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the instrument wherein said instrument further comprises a unilateral contract formation provision wherein in consideration of using the goods to develop new intellectual property said use shall be an acceptance by performance by transferee of a contract for joint development of said new intellectual property wherein an undivided interest in said new intellectual property is assigned to transferor.

28. (amended) A method of doing business comprising the transfer of goods owned by a transferor from a said transferor to a transferee wherein the goods are claimed in one or more patents owned by transferor and wherein rights in the goods are transferred one or more times by means of an instrument selected from the group consisting of contracts, leases or licenses, said instrument having terms said rights in the goods comprising intellectual property rights wherein by the terms of the instrument and all subsequent instruments transferring said goods reserve some or all of the intellectual property rights in the goods to the lessor wherein the transferee is prohibited from using the goods to develop any new intellectual property by the terms of the lease wherein the last transfer is a transfer of goods at retail wherein said instrument further comprises a unilateral contract formation provision wherein in consideration of using the goods to develop new intellectual property said use shall be an acceptance by performance by transferee of a contract for joint development of said new intellectual property wherein an undivided interest in said new intellectual property is assigned to lessor.